- (D) conducting oversight, monitoring, and evaluation of the effectiveness of all programming conducted using the funds authorized to be appropriated by subsection (a) to ensure that it advances United States interests and degrades the ability of the Chinese Communist Party, to advance activities that align with subsection (d) of this section.
- (3) Interagency coordination.—The senior official designated pursuant to paragraph (1) shall, in coordinating and approving programming pursuant to paragraph (2), seek to—
- (A) conduct appropriate interagency consultation; and
- (B) ensure, to the maximum extent practicable, that all approved programming functions in concert with other Federal activities to counter the malign influence and activities of the Chinese Communist Party.
- (4) ASSISTANT COORDINATOR.—The Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development shall designate a senior official at the rank of Assistant Administrator or above to assist and consult with the senior official designated pursuant to paragraph (1).
- (d) MALIGN INFLUENCE.—In this section, the term "malign influence" with respect to the Chinese Communist Party should be construed to include acts conducted by the Chinese Communist Party or entities acting on its behalf that—
- (1) undermine a free and open international order:
- (2) advance an alternative, repressive international order that bolsters the Chinese Communist Party's hegemonic ambitions and is characterized by coercion and dependency.
- (3) undermine the national security or sovereignty of the United States or other countries: or
- (4) undermine the economic security of the United States or other countries, including by promoting corruption.
- (e) COUNTERING MALIGN INFLUENCE.—In this section, countering malign influence through the use of funds authorized to be appropriated by subsection (a) shall include efforts to—
- (1) promote transparency and accountability, and reduce corruption, including in governance structures targeted by the malign influence of the Chinese Communist Party:
- (2) support civil society and independent media to raise awareness of and increase transparency regarding the negative impact of activities related to the Belt and Road Initiative and associated initiatives;
- (3) counter transnational criminal networks that benefit, or benefit from, the malign influence of the Chinese Communist Party:
- (4) encourage economic development structures that help protect against predatory lending schemes, including support for market-based alternatives in key economic sectors, such as digital economy, energy, and infrastructure;
- (5) counter activities that provide undue influence to the security forces of the People's Republic of China;
- (6) expose misinformation and disinformation of the Chinese Communist Party's propaganda, including through programs carried out by the Global Engagement Center; and
- (7) counter efforts by the Chinese Communist Party to legitimize or promote authoritarian ideology and governance models.
- **SA 4491.** Mr. RISCH submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 3867 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to

the bill H.R. 4350, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of subtitle E of title XII of division A, add the following:

SEC. 1253. ANNUAL REVIEW ON THE PRESENCE OF CHINESE COMPANIES IN UNITED STATES CAPITAL MARKETS.

- (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:
- (1) APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES OF CONGRESS.—The term "appropriate committees of Congress" means—
- (A) the Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate:
- (B) the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate;
- (C) the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs of the Senate;
- (D) the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives;
- (E) the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of Representatives; and
- (F) the Committee on Financial Services of the House of Representatives. (2) PRC.—The term "PRC" means the Peo-
- (2) PRC.—The term "PRC" means the People's Republic of China.
- (b) REPORT —
- (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter for the following 5 years, the Secretary of State, in consultation with the Director of National Intelligence and the Secretary of the Treasury, shall submit an unclassified report to the appropriate committees of Congress that describes the risks posed to the United States by the presence in United States capital markets of companies incorporated in the PRC
- (2) MATTERS TO BE INCLUDED.—The report required under paragraph (1) shall—
- (A) identify companies incorporated in the PRC that— $\,$
- (i) are listed or traded on at least 1 stock exchange within the United States, including over-the-counter market and "A Shares" added to indexes and exchange-traded funds out of mainland exchanges in the PRC; and
- (ii) based on the factors for consideration described in paragraph (3), have knowingly and materially contributed to—
- (I) activities that undermine United States national security;
- (II) serious abuses of internationally recognized human rights; or
- (III) a substantially increased financial risk exposure for United States-based investors:
- (B) describe the activities of the companies identified pursuant to subparagraph (A), and the implications of such activities for the United States; and
- (C) develop policy recommendations for the Federal Government, State governments, United States financial institutions, United States equity and debt exchanges, and other relevant stakeholders to address the risks posed by the presence in United States capital markets of the companies identified pursuant to subparagraph (A).
- (3) FACTORS FOR CONSIDERATION.—In completing the report under paragraph (1), the Secretary of State shall consider whether a company identified pursuant to paragraph (2)(A)—
- (A) has materially contributed to the development or manufacture, or sold or facilitated procurement by the People's Liberation Army of the PRC, of lethal military

- equipment or component parts of such equipment:
- (B) has contributed to the construction and militarization of features in the South China Sea;
- (C) has been sanctioned by the United States or has been determined to have conducted business with sanctioned entities;
- (D) has engaged in an act or a series of acts of intellectual property theft;
- (E) has engaged in corporate or economic espionage;
- (F) has contributed to the proliferation of nuclear or missile technology in violation of United Nations Security Council resolutions or United States sanctions:
- (G) has contributed to the repression of religious and ethnic minorities within the PRC, including in Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region or Tibet Autonomous Region;
- (H) has contributed to the development of technologies that enable censorship directed or directly supported by the PRC government:
- (I) has failed to comply fully with Federal securities laws (including required audits by the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board) and "material risk" disclosure requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission: or
- (J) has contributed to other activities or behavior determined to be relevant by the Secretary of State.
- (c) REPORT FORM.—The report required under subsection (b)(1) shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include a classified annex.
- (d) PUBLICATION.—The unclassified portion of the report required under subsection (b)(1) shall be made accessible to the public online through relevant United States Government websites
- SA 4492. Mr. RISCH submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 3867 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 4350, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:
- At the end of subtitle E of title XII, add the following:

SEC. 1253. STATEMENT OF POLICY ON INDO-PA-CIFIC REGION.

- It shall be the policy of the United States to—
- (1) prioritize the Indo-Pacific region in United States foreign policy, and prioritize resources for achieving United States political and military objectives in the region;
- (2) exercise freedom of operations in the international waters and airspace in the Indo-Pacific maritime domains, which are critical to the prosperity, stability, and security of the Indo-Pacific region;
- (3) maintain forward-deployed forces in the Indo-Pacific region, including a rotational bomber presence, integrated missile defense capabilities, long-range precision fires, undersea warfare capabilities, and diversified and resilient basing and rotational presence, including support for pre-positioning strategies:
- (4) strengthen and deepen the alliances and partnerships of the United States to build capacity and capabilities, increase multilateral partnerships, modernize communications architecture, address anti-access and area denial challenges, and increase joint exercises and security cooperation efforts;